In the Specification

Please amend the specification as follows:

On page 1, after the title and before the first paragraph, please insert the following paragraph:

--The present application is a continuation of application Serial No. 10/083,097, filed February 26, 2002, which is a continuation of application Serial No. 09/727,051, filed November 30, 2000, entitled "Stapling and Cutting in Resectioning for Full Thickness Resection Devices"-